



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
TAKESHI SHIMOYAMA : EXAMINER: ELAMIN, A. I.  
SERIAL NO: 10/527,063 :  
FILED: MARCH 9, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2116  
FOR: INFORMATION PROCESSING :  
DEVICE, METHOD, AND  
PROGRAM

AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this application.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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